

UG/3rd Sem (H/G)/22/(CBCS)

2022

MATHEMATICS (Honours/General)

Paper Code : MTMG DC-3/GE-3

[Vector Algebra & Multivariate Calculus]

Full Marks : 32

Time : Two Hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks.
Candidates are required to give their answers
in their own words as far as practicable.*

Group - A

(4 marks)

1. Answer any *four* questions : $1 \times 4 = 4$

(a) If $|\vec{\alpha}| = 3$ and $|\vec{\beta}| = 4$ then find the values of the scalar c such that the vectors $\vec{\alpha} + c\vec{\beta}$ and $\vec{\alpha} - c\vec{\beta}$ will be orthogonal to one another.

(b) Define curl of a vector point function.

(c) State Youngs theorem for functions of two variables.

(d) Define homogeneous function of degree n in three variables.

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(e) Evaluate $\int_0^1 \int_0^2 x^3 y \, dx \, dy$.

(f) Let $f(x, y, z) = \frac{x^2}{y} + \frac{y^2}{z} + \frac{z^2}{x}$, $xyz \neq 0$, without computing f_x, f_y, f_z find $xf_x + yf_y + zf_z$.

(g) If $u = x^2 y + y^2 z + z^2 x$, show that

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial z} = (x + y + z)^2.$$

Group - B

(10 marks)

Answer any *two* questions :

$5 \times 2 = 10$

2. Prove that

$$(\vec{b} \times \vec{c}) \cdot (\vec{a} \times \vec{d}) + (\vec{c} \times \vec{a}) \cdot (\vec{b} \times \vec{d}) + (\vec{a} \times \vec{b}) \cdot (\vec{c} \times \vec{d}) = 0.$$

3. Find $\text{div } \vec{F}$ and $\text{curl } \vec{F}$, where

$$\vec{F} = \text{grad} (x^3 + y^3 + z^3 - 3xyz).$$

4. Let $\vec{a}, \vec{b}, \vec{c}$ be unit vectors such that $\vec{a} + \vec{b} + \vec{c} = \vec{0}$.

Find the value of $\vec{b} \cdot \vec{c} + \vec{c} \cdot \vec{a} + \vec{a} \cdot \vec{b}$.

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5. If $f(x, y) = \frac{x^2 y^2}{x^2 + y^2}$, $x^2 + y^2 \neq 0$
 $= 0$, $x^2 + y^2 = 0$

then show that $f_{xy}(0, 0) = f_{yx}(0, 0)$.

Group - C

(18 marks)

Answer any *two* questions :

$9 \times 2 = 18$

6. (a) Evaluate $\iint xy(x+y) dx dy$ over the region bounded by $y=x^2$ and $y=x$. 5

(b) Find a unit vector in the plane of the vectors $\vec{i} + 2\vec{j} - \vec{k}$ and $\vec{i} + \vec{j} - 2\vec{k}$, which is perpendicular to the vector $2\vec{i} - \vec{j} + \vec{k}$. 4

7. (a) Examine the existence of maxima or minima of the function $f(x, y) = xy$ subject to the condition $5x + y = 13$. 4

(b) If $u = \sin^{-1} \left(\frac{x^2 + y^2}{x + y} \right)$ then prove that

$$x \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + y \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = \tan u.$$

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P.T.O.

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8. (a) If $\vec{r} = x\vec{i} + y\vec{j} + z\vec{k}$ and $r = |\vec{r}|$, prove that
grad $f(r)\times\vec{r} = \vec{0}$. 5

(b) Show that the mapping $T : R^3 \rightarrow R^3$ defined by

$$T(x_1, x_2, x_3) =$$

$$(x_1 + x_2 + x_3, 2x_1 + x_2 + 2x_3, x_1 + 2x_2 + x_3),$$

$(x_1, x_2, x_3) \in R^3$ is a linear mapping. 4
